

Solicitation:

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Agency/Office:

OCPO, Northern (Philadelphia) Field Contracting Operations

Location:

Chicago Operations Branch, NFNC

Title: Research and Analysis for Manufactured Housing Foundations

Description(s):

The U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) intends to solicit and negotiate a sole source fixed-price purchase order to Applied Residential Engineering Services, 5095 Sudley Road, West River, Maryland 20778. The proposed tasks are intended to coordinate the research findings from Task Order C-CHI-00830, "Research and Analysis for Manufactured Housing Foundations, "into the Ground Anchor Assembly Test Protocol (GAATP) as recommended by HUD's Manufactured Housing Concensus Committee (MHCC).

The model installation standards require home manufacturers to provide instructions for the installation of every home to ensure that homes are properly secured against wind forces. In order to design the required anchoring of homes, home manufacturers and other design professionals must use the designed capacities for each of the component of the anchoring system. The protocol for testing ground anchor assemblies will be used to establish the design capacity of the ground anchor. The MHCC submitted to HUD a proposed protocol for testing the ground anchor assemblies (GAATP). The Department then embarked on a research program which critically evaluated the GAATP. This work was successfully completed. The proposed tasks provided the next step. The Contractor shall review the research findings and develop an edited (strike-through/double underlined) version of the GAATP based on the research findings. This edited version shall then be sent back to the MHCC for review and comment.

As the subcontractor and technical lead for Task Order C-CHI-00830, "Research and Analysis for Manufactured Housing Foundations, "Applied Residential Engineering Services is uniquely qualified to incorporate the research findings into the GAATP.

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Allow Vendors To Add/Remove From Interested Vendors:

yes

Allow Vendors To View Interested Vendors List:

yes

Recovery and Reinvestment Act Action:

no